

County-L.A. Agree to Work On Lomita Blvd. Widening

A county-city agreement for improvement of portions of Lomita Blvd. and providing additional land for the Harbor City Playground was approved Tuesday by the Board of Supervisors.

Supervisor Burton W. Chace said options of Lomita Blvd. between Normandie Ave. and Belle Porte Ave., are in unincorporated County territory and the City of Los Angeles.

The portion of Normandie Ave. from Lomita Blvd. 116 feet northerly is entirely within the County.

CHACE SAID that since improvement of the street in Los Angeles would leave the sides of the street in the County unimproved, it is desirable for the County to improve its segment of the streets concurrently with the City.

The County's share of the improvement is estimated at \$86,100. The City of Los Angeles will acquire all rights of way, prepare the plans and administer the contract, Chace explained.

ALTHOUGH ONLY a portion of the land to be acquired will be needed for the roadway improvement, the entire frontage property between Frampton

and Belle Porte will be purchased, with the unused portion to be used for additional land for the Harbor City Playground.

Supervisor Chace and City Council President John S. Gibson agreed to take this step last October, calling it one "that will be of general benefit to all residents of the area."

THE NEW agreement contin-

ues the project started several years ago by the County west of Western Ave. and in a joint city-county project between Avalon Blvd. and Wilmington Blvd. in the Wilmington area. Tentative agreements have already been agreed upon for continuation of this full-scale improvement through Wilmington, Chace said.

The 34 coral atolls in the Marshall Islands contain only 74 square miles of land area, but they extend over more than 180,000 square miles of ocean.



OLD BARN BURNED . . . A South Torrance landmark near 230th St. and Madison Ave. was destroyed Saturday evening by flames when the barn owned by Y. Matoyasu of 23050 Samuel burned to the ground. In addition to the barn, a two-wheel trailer, a five-blade plowing disc, and a cultivator blade were destroyed. (Herald Photo by Ray Deurloo)

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Richard C. Addison
In Church Pulpit Here

Community Baptist Church Calls Richard C. Addison As Minister

The selection of the Rev. Richard C. Addison as pastor of the Community Baptist Church at 925 W. 223rd St., has been announced, and the new pastor and his family have moved to this area to take up their new assignment.

A native Californian and a long-time resident of Salinas, the new minister is a 1960 graduate of the Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Philadelphia where he received a bachelor of divinity degree. He had previously received a bachelor of arts in religion from the University of Redlands.

First Baptist Church of Torrance, it is receiving additional support from the American Baptist Convention.

CHURCH SCHOOL is held at 9:45 a.m. and the morning worship services at 11 a.m. each Sunday. The Youth Fellowship meets at 6 p.m. and the evening service is at 7 p.m. each Sunday.

Midweek Bible study and prayer meeting is scheduled for each Wednesday evening at 7.

Cafe Diners

Recent dinner guests at The Polynesian Restaurant were Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord D. Stenberg of Torrance. Other diners the same evening included Miss Kay Kavelin, Miss Ellen Dixon and Miss Dorothy Hart, all of Torrance.

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HE AND MRS. Addison, a registered nurse and a graduate of the University of California School of Nursing, have made their home at 411 W. Fiat St. with their son, Mark.

THE COMMUNITY BAPTIST Church was founded as a mission of the First Baptist Church of Torrance and given the name of the Mexican Baptist Church. It was later changed to the 223rd St. Baptist Church, and continued its ministry to the Spanish speaking people of the area.

WITH THE arrival of the Rev. Addison, the church assumed the name of the Community Baptist Church. Worship services have been conducted in English in recent years, the pastor said.

Although the church remains as a mission of the

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